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ITEMS AT THE COURTS.

A militive was sentenced to six weeks hard labour and three hours stocks, at the Magistracy to-day, |for returning from

Mr E.A. Hazeland, at the Magistracy to-day, fined Louis Comar, licensee of the Cosmopolitan Hotel, \$25 for selling intoxicating liquor to a person under the influence of liquor.

Mr Charles Lloyd Howell, manager of the Standard Oil Co., proceeded against a truck coolie, at the Magistracy to-day, for obstruction. Prosecutor was cycling along Des Voux Road when the coolie whoeled hir truck right-in front of him. Mr. J. H. Kemp imposed a fine of \$10 on defendant.

Inspector Robertson prosecuted two Sanitary Board coolies, at the Magistracy to-day, for stealing a blanket. The case was remanded. It appears the defendants were in charge of an ambulance conveying a native to the Government Civil Hospital. A relative of this native gave defendants a blanket to put over him and while on the way to the hospital he died and the blanket disappeared. It was ascertained that the defendants had pawned the blanket for \$3. and this led to their arrest.

LADIES RIFLE SHOOTING.

The results of the final day's shoot in connection with the Ladies' Rifle Club competition are as follows :-- " 75 YARDS SCRATCH COMPETERION.

Miss Loureiro ... Mrs Bailey Mrs Rissland ... 28 Mrs Gompertz Mrs Worthington Mrs Scott Harston ..." Miss Nicholson ...

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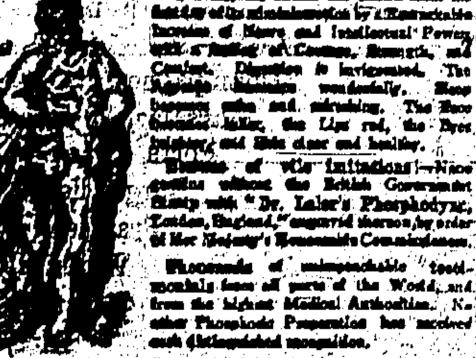
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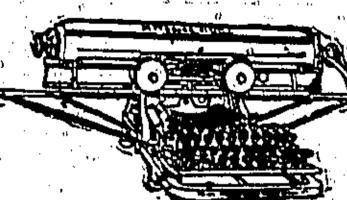
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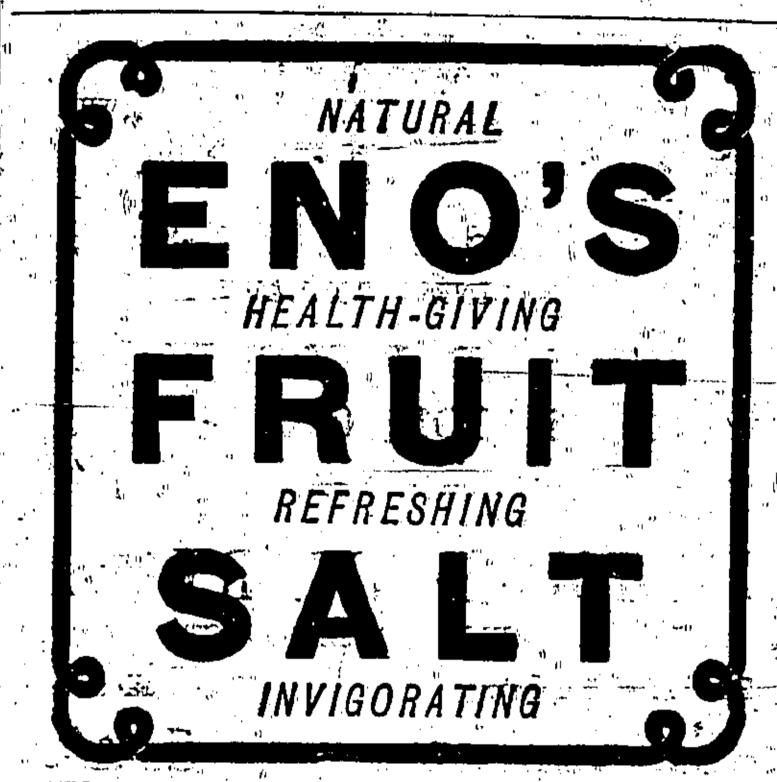
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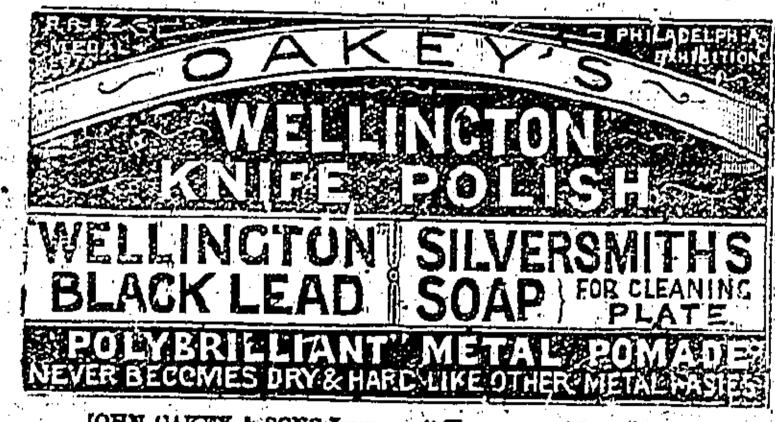


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HOME SPORTING NOTES.

(From our Special Correspondent.) London, March 23rd. Scotland boat England at Richmond on the 20th inst., by 3 goals and I try to 1 goal and I try-18 points to 8, after a brilliant game before a record crowd. The Prince of Wales was an interested spectator, this being the third Rugby match he has witnessed in three weeks. Needless to kay, he was accorded a hearty reception. 'England were leading at half time by 8 points to S, but then a sudden change came over the game and Scotland scored ten points in as many minutes. The cause of the home country's defeat was due to their weak halves "and centro threequarters, the Selection Committee have been soundly condemned by critica. As England had been victorious over Ireland the same lot of outsides as played in that match were chosen against Scotland, but this was obviously a mistake, as some of them were not original choices but owe their places to other men being unable to turn out. Williamson of Oxford University is acknowledged to be the best half in the country, yet he was not picked, nor was Tarr of Oxford, a splendid centre threequarter. Poulton, who did not get his Blue " last December, was "chosen in preference to the latter. A strange state. of affairs! Truly there will be some shuffling of seats on the Committee when the Annual Meeting taken place next May. All Englishmen were greatly disappointed at the result, as there is plenty of firstclass talent, and a much better side could have been selected. However, the Calcutta Cup remains north of the Tweed for the

second year in succession. In the Association world, great interest in being evinced in this week's semi-finals for the English Cup. The tie between Newcastle United and Manchester United ought to prove an Homeric struggle, the former being at present top of the First League, and, in my opinion, the victors of this contest should prove to be the eventual Cup holders. Lord Charles Beresford will present the trophy and modals at the Crystal Palace, next month.

The annual Inter-Varsity Sports at Queen's Club last week resulted in the expected win for Oxford by 6 events to 4 The Half Mile proved the most exciting finish, the Oxford President, Darling, besting the Cambridge President, Just, by six inches in the excellent time of min, 5) sec. As Just won the Half Mile in the Olympic Games last summer, Darling's was a most creditable performance. Hull of Oxford recorded the only dual success of the afternoon winning the 100 yards in 10; sec. and the Quarter Mile in 50%, although he sprained his ankle in the latter event. Lindsay-Watson of Cambridge created a record by throwing the Hammer 148 feet 10 in. while the High Jump, 5 ft. 117 in., by Bellerby of Cambridge is the second best of the series, Brooks of Oxford jumping 6 ft. 24 in., as far away back as 1876. Bleaden (O.), last year's Amateur Champ ion, was unexpectedly beaten in the Long Jump by less than 2 inches, but easily wonthe Weight. Oxford also won the Thre Miles and Hurdles, the former being done in 15 min. dead and the latter 16 sec. dead both very good times. Altogether it was a most successful day for the Dark Blues-Lomitted to mention that Cambridge won the Mile in 4 min. 27 sec.

With regard to the Boat Race, the Light Blues, now stroked by Stuart, are warm favourites, having rowed two splendid trials. They are the beaviest crew seen at Putney, averaging 121 stone spiece, though the Dark Blues are only 3 lbs. less. F. W. Warre, whom most Hongkongites "will remember, has been coaching the Oxonians for the past month, and to-day hands over his duties to Harcourt Gold, the famous old stroke. Dr. Bourne, the father of the present Ozonian stroke, coached before Warre. His sen, it is and to confess, is the weak spot in the boat and critics have been very severe on him. The crew has been further handicapped by losing their bow and spare man through severe influenza, and have had to call upon Gladstone, who has rowed the last three years, to fill the vacant place. This is a severe handicap, as having comdown from Oxford, he is of course quite. untrained, and the race takes place in a fortnight. Odds of 4 to 1 have been betted on Cambridge in consequence.

Flat racing starts to-day at Lincoln and algha of relief can be heard among racegoers, the jumping season having proved to be very " flat." There is of course the Grand National in a couple of days, time, but after that we can cease to witness old "crooks" over the ! sticks." The Lincolushire Handicap is a very coen affair, Arramore being favourite, But by the time arranged under the Ports to which they sail, I this is posted it will be all over, with, no doubt, some outsider romping in a winner. Though politics do not come in the scope of this article, it is interesting to note that the Liberal candidate for Croydon in the By election next week, is J. E. Raphael, I.T. the old Oxford Blue and Rugby International and Surrey cricketer. In spite of his popularity however, it is confidently expected that Sir R. Hermon-Hodge, the Unionist, will be returned M.P., the present Government's weak Naval policy being strongly condemned. Speaking of cricket is enough to make

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C. MONTAGUE EDE. Hongkong, March 24, 1909

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passing the following Special Resolution: That the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Society be respontively extended; altered and smended so as to read as shown in the print signed for the purpose of identification by the Chalrman of this Meeting and that such extended, altered and amended Memorandum and Articles of Association be henceforth adopted as tile Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Society to the

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TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTIETH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHARE HOLDERS-will be held at the Company's OFFICES, St. George's Building, on SATURDAY, the 24th APRIL, 1909, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, togother with a Statement of Accounts to 28th February, 1969, and electing Directors The TRANSFEE BOOKS of the Com-

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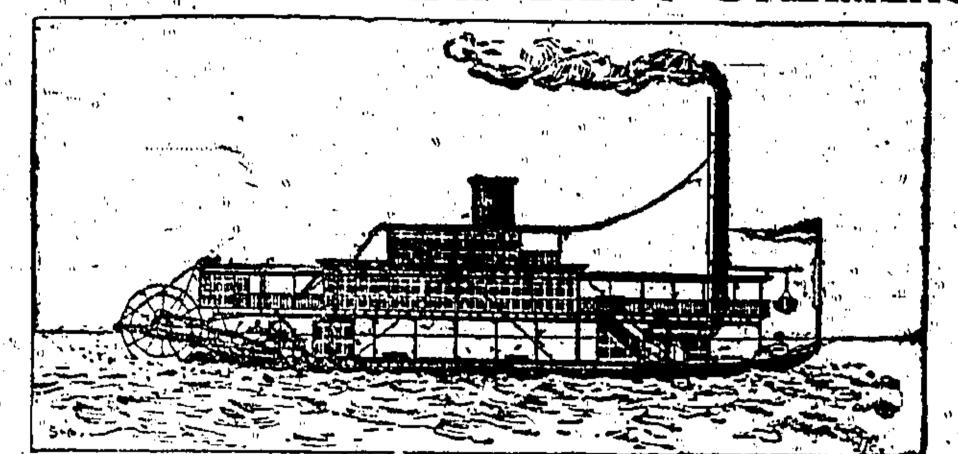
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Tickets 43 at the ROBINSON PIANO Telegraphic Address : JUBOR LABUAN. Hongkong, February 10, 1968. MR T. H. LIDDELL'S PICTURES.

Mr T. Hodgson Liddell has been giving an exhibition of water-colours at the Fine Art Society's galleries, New Bond-st. London, which dealt entirely with Chinese subjects. Our London correspondent writes that it was a very good show and many sales resulted. Several pictures of Hongkong were shown and these attracted much attention. In some notes attached to the catalogue Mr Liddell remarked-The prevailing skies in Southern China are what I might call "mackerel," but with a very strong white light; while in Northern China, in the Gulf of Pechihli and around Peking there is much intense blue and clear, sharp atmosphere. The landscape near the Treaty Ports, best known to forsigners, is usually flat and monotonous; but inland it is very beautiful. In Hongkong the outstanding feature, and that which affected me most, was the grandeur of the towering Peak and the lovely har-

THE LOW BIRTH RATE.

According to the quarterly return of the Registrar-General, the births regisbered in England and Wales in the fourthquarter of 1908 numbered 221,488, and were in proportion of 24.6 annually per 1,000 of the population. This is 2,4 per 1.000 below the mean birth rate in the 10 preceding fourth quarters, and is the lowest birth rate, recorded in any fourth quarter since civil registration was established.

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The lowest birth-rates during the fourth quarter were 18.4 in Susser, 19.3 in Herefordshire. 19.4 in Carnaryonahire. 20.1 in Northamptonshire, and 20.2 in Somersetshire. The highest were 34.7 in Monmouthshire, 33.2 in Glamorganshire, and 32.0 in Durham.

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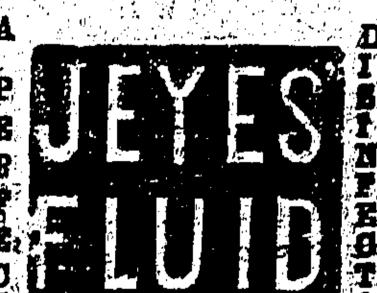
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Eriday, April 23 :--2.30 p.m.—Auction of Chinese Porcelain, &c., at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's Sales 4 p.m. - Meeting of Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce at City Hall: 9.15 p.m.—Concert of H.K. Philharmonie Society at City Hall.

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The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 1909. JAPAN AND PUBLIC AUDITING.

THE terrible tangle into which the this matter in the proper light and can accounts of the Dai Nippon Seito Kaisha | be brought to realise the important QUEUR COGNAC 35.00 have fallen, involving practically the ruin | bearing it has upon her reputation in the of the largest sugar-refining company in [world's money markets she will no BRANDY 41.00 Japan, and the financial troubles which doubt inaugurate such a system of have befallen a big Marine Products | public auditing as will soon place the Company, direct attention to a very weak | balance sheets of her public companies point in the Japanese commercial system, above the region of suspicion. that of the auditing of the accounts of public companies. The matter was very naturally referred to at the annual meeting of the Yokohama Foreign B VINO DE PASTO 13.00 Board of Trade, when, in the course of CO OLOROSO 17.50 anginteresting speech, Mr E. C. Davis, SUPERIOR PALE DRY..... 19.50 the head in Japan of Messrs SAMTER E" FINEST PALE DRY, NUTTY 25.00 SAMUEL and Co., after obtaining permission to allude to a matter not set down in the report, remarked that what Japan | dead, aged 74. needs at the present moment is the Chartered Accountant. He pointed out "Per Com. that as a consequence of recent scandals B - RED SEAL CAPRULE ... 215.00 companies, the Japanese Government GREEN SEAL CAPACLE 18,00 will be obliged, sooner or later, to listen to the voice of public opinion and benefit to the Philippines is the opinion of completely revise her Companies acts putting them on a more practical and sounder basis. The machinery is practically there already, but the method of its running is at fault. The public in Japan, said Mr Davis, is used to seeing the names of responsible men in the business world attached to accounts as by an agent of the secret service, and auditors, yet as a matter of fact all that these estimable gentlemen have done has been to affix their scals where they were told to place them while in effect they

know nothing more about the accounts

than does the Man-in-the-Moon. The

the commercial nations of the earth,

satisfactory. England and America

an adjunct to commercial life whose

presence is absolutely necessary, and

feel the pressure of the same necessity.

She requires as much as anybody, to

quote Mr. Dayis, "a man who has

passed a qualified examination in book-

mercial engagements as it does to Japan, though at present the latter country is more nearly concerned. Japan anxious to attract foreign capital, but she will never ettain her desire so long in the manner in which they are to-day Of this there can be no doubt and the sooner Japan realises it the better, Mr. Davis " suggestively the day advanremarked, whatever tage which would accrue to for eigners by the introduction of Chartered-Accountants, if would be infinitesimal compared with the enormous Terrespay, April 22:—
Goods per bilesia undelivered after this gain the Japanese public would derive. But, what is more important, such tend to establish a commercial and financial understanding between th would do more to cement real friendship, good fellowship and mutual diplomatic agreements that Japan has made during the last few years of he history." All the loreign newspapers published in Japan endorse Mr. Davis' suggestion and with them we hope that something will come_of it. Japan has never lacked the courage to tackle her difficulties in the post and there is no reason to doubt that she will hesitate to do so in the future. If she can be induced to see

NEWS OF THE DAY.

A farewell letter from Dr Bateson Wright to the Masters and scholars of Queen's College, appears in the issue of the Yellow Brugon for April.

Mr E. A. Hitchcock, formerly American Ambassador to Russia and then Secvetary of the Interior In the Cabinets of Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt, is

A list of 114 masters, mates, and ngineers who have passed their examinations and obtained certificates of com n certain large and supposedly solid petency during the year 1908 appears in the Hongkong Government Gazette.

> .That a national lottery would be the members of the municipal councils of Calasiao and Aguilar, Pangasinan, who have communicated with the Assembly to that effect and requested that the lottery

More than 400 grams of opium were found on board the British steamer Taming ab Manila. Rafael Concepcion, a labourer, was found with 200 grams in his possession Marcos Ramos, a quartermaster, was arrested for having a like amount on his person. Charges have been filed against the two men by Assistant Chief Keith of the Customs Secret Service.

According to advices which have reach ed an official quarter in London from Lishon, the Portuguesa Government promatter is of more than local interest: it poses to send out to their East African affects Japan's financial standing among territories an expert Commission to report npor the necessity for improving the railway and telegraphic facilities between these which at present is far from being territories and the British colonies, in view of the federation of the latter. The Commission will leave Lisbon probably about have found the Chartered Accountant the middle of April and upon its report will depend the invitation of tenders, amounting to nearly two millions storling, which, in principle, have already been Japan, in her immost heart, must also agreed upon.

KEEP THIS IN MIND. DOWEL complaint is sure to be prevalent during the fruit season - Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Discribera Remedy gives prompt relief. For sale by keeping who can only practise all chemists and stooksepers.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The death has taken place at Thame of Mrs Sarah Hudson, who is said to have been the sole remaining survivor of the illfated Birkenhead. Deceased was 83 years of age.

Sir Charles Stevens and Sir Mathew, Gosset are dead. The former spent thirty years in the Indian Civil Service, and the latter was the General Officer Commanding Mandalay, in the early nineties.

power that if his demands were not The King and Queen of Italy are said to be dissatisfied with the backwardness rate, be able either to refuse to sign. of the relief work at Messina, the absence of lighting, means of transit, sanitation, and water supply, and with the insufficient provision of housing and food.

> A telegram from Melbourne states that Mr Fisher, speaking at Gympic, said that voluntary defence had broken down, and that compulsory service was necessary, beginning at the age of ten. Australia, he said, would have twenty-three home built destroyers in three years. The offer of be merely spectacular...

. A telegram printed by the Northas her public companies are conducted China Daily News says that it is reported that Wiceroy Yuan Shu-haun, of Chihli has offered to advance Tls. 1,000,000 to relieve the stringency of the money-market at Tientsin, provided that the banks and traders concerned will offer reasonable conditions. Neither the Government nor the Diplomatic Body is prepared to entertain the proposals recently put forward by the Tientsin Chamber of Commerce, and supported by the Gorman Minister, for the repayment of the traders' losses by a Government loan.

A fourth attempt has been made on system if introduced now would the life of Mr Hume, the public prosecutor at Calcutta. A bomb was thrown into atrain in which he was supposed to be travelling on the Eastern Bengal rail-av. Japanese and the Foreigner "which but Mr Hume had lucking changed his train. Two Bengalia were seriously injured by the bomb, and 'no arrests have been made. Mr H. T. Hume has been engaged confidence than all the alliances and in the Calcutta High Court recently in conducting a dacoity charge against a number of alleged revolutionists. The Straits Times believes it is correct in stating that this is the fifth attempt upon his life. He is being guarded night and day by four

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs Gompertz was amongst those who left for home by the Devanha to day.

Mr G. G. Burnett, of the G. P. O. lenves. early next month for a holiday in Eng-

It is notified in the Gueste that Mr Arthur Winbolt Brewin has resumed duty as Registrar General. "

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr E. D. C. Wolfe to be Deputy Registrar of Marriages.

The late Mr Thomas Harris, J.P., of South-place, Calne, Wilts, bacon, curer, left 21,000 to the Christian Literature Society for China.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr Archibald Ritchi to be a surveyor of boilers of unlicensed steamships under 60 tons burden during the absence on leave of Mr Thomas Skinner.

The following appointments of Sanitary Inspectors have been made by His Excellency the Governor:-Inspector A. Collete to Shaukiwan, Inspector G. Dymond Aberdeen, and Sergt. G. Sim to Kowloon

Field-Marshal Sir Evelya Wood me with an accident while hunting with the Essex Hounds on March 17. His horse fell at a fence and Sir Evelyn was injured about the face. - He was unable to remai in the field, and had to return home.

Probate has been granted in London of the will of Major-General Charles Edward poison. Luard, of Ightham Knoll, Sevenoaks, Kent, and late of the Royal Engineers, who committed suicide at the age of sixty-nine, on September 18 last, and whose wife was murdered on Aug. 24 last. . His property has been valued by Mr Thomas Hartley. Isnded proprietor, of Armsthwaite Hall Armathwaite, Cumberland, - the sole executor, at £7,374 18s. 3d. gross, with net personalty sworn at £6,680 2s. 9d.

Captain Thomas J. H. Rapson died on the 13th March at Southees. Captain Rapson saw service during the second war with China-in the Scout. He was present in that vessel at the capture of the Pei-ho forts in 1860. He was in charge of the Spoul's cutter at the beat strock on the Maludu pirates on the coast of Borneo in 1862 For these services he received the Chins medal and clusp, and in August, 1864, was promoted to navigating sublicutonant. He was retired in 1903.

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AUSTRALIA AND EMPIRE DEFENCE.

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The Times says that the Commonvenlth of Australia has cabled to the Admiralty that in the event of any emergency the whole of its naval forces are placed unreservedly under the direction of the Admiralty.

TO PROTECT PHILIPPINE INDUSTRIES.

PRESIDENT TAFT'S WISHES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail : Copyright protected under Ordinance & of 1394.) Lordon, April 17.

President Tait has sent a Message to Congress proposing the adaptation of the Philippine tariff to the new Federal is Dreadnought by the Commonwealth would tariff with a view to the protection of Philippine industries.

ARMENIANS MAS SACRED.

FURTHER OUTRAGES.

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The outbreak at Adana has been renewed. Sixty Armenians have already for the Province of Yunnan. been killed and the dragoman of the British consulate and one German subject have been wounded.

CIVIL WAR IN TURKEY.

FRESH DEVELOPMENTS.

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LONDON, April 17. Turkey appear to be on the brink of OFFER OF RIVER BOATS. civil war. A battalion of pro-Committee troops stationed at Salon in have started by rail for Constantinople, another is following and others are preparing.

The" Committee of Union and Progress counts on the support of the Second Army Corps at Adrianople, but this is seemingly doubtful.

CANTON THEATRE FIRE. Destruction of over 80 Houses.

(Wah Tee Yat Po's Service.) Olnron, April I5.

A theatre at San Chiang, in the Hsin Ning district, was the scene of a disastrous fire on the evening of the 14th inst. As a result of the configration spreading between 80 and 90 houses in the vicinity were destroyed.

A smoker is to be held at the Institu tion of Engineers and Shipbuilders thi evening when the following artistes will take part :- Messrs E. B. Ayris, F. T. Chapple, J. D. Auld, J. Cobb., C. C. Hill W. C. Worcester, F. G. Carroll, J. P. Jordan, Lt. Crosse, R.G.A., Capt. Beasley, R.G.A., F. C. Barlow and G. Grimbie.

Sensational stories are forthcoming regarding the discovery of the plot against the Amir. The original plotoprovided for the assassination of the Amir, Inayet Ullah Khan, the heir apparent, and Sardar Nasrullah Khan, the Amir's brother. This falling through, another plot was devised, and the name of Sijiah Salar, the Commander-in-Chief, was added. An eath of secrecy was taken on the Koran, but one of the conspirators divulged the plot, shortly." giving the names of all the conspirators. Among these were three Punjabi Mahome. dans. The former were all executed and TTHE longer a cold hangs on, the more is the latter are in custody. The discovery was made just in time to avert simultaneous outbreaks in Kabul and Jellalabad. assassinations were to be accomplished by from this disease will be avoided. For sale,

PREPARING FOR A CONSTITUTION.

(Wah Two You Po's Service.) Pering, April 15.

His Excellency Shi Su has suggested that all Vicerors and Governors whe are not in earnest in assisting to establish a constitutional form of government should be dismissed from office The Prince Regent has approved of

It is proposed to appoint Yang To, a Peking official, to explain the principles of constitutional government to the Prince Regent.

JAPANESE RAILWAY ACTIVITY IN MAN-CHURIA.

(Wah Ta Yat Po's Service.) PERING, April 16.

His Excellency Chu Shih Chang, the Vicercy of Manchuria, reports that Japan is pushing forward railway construction in Manchuria in order to secure a direct connection with Korea.

GOVERNORSHIP A NEW

(Wah Tm Yat Po's Servies.)

PEKING, April 16. It is proposed to create a Governorship

THE PRATAS ISLANDS.

(Walt Tax Yat Po's Service.) . . Pexino, April 16.

Negotiations have been opened between the Board of Foreign Affairs and the Japanese Minister respecting the occupation of the Pratas Islands. The

Board is assuming a firm attitude.

(Wah Tm Yat Po's Bersice.)

Princ, April 16. A certain country has offered to make a present to the Government of a number of river boats for the use of the Honam and Sz Chuan Provinces. The Board of Foreign Affairs and the Board of Communications are discussing with the Viceroy and Governor concerned as to

MACAO DELIMITATION QUESTION.

the advisability of accepting the pre-

(Wah Tex Yus Pols Service.)

PERING, April 15.

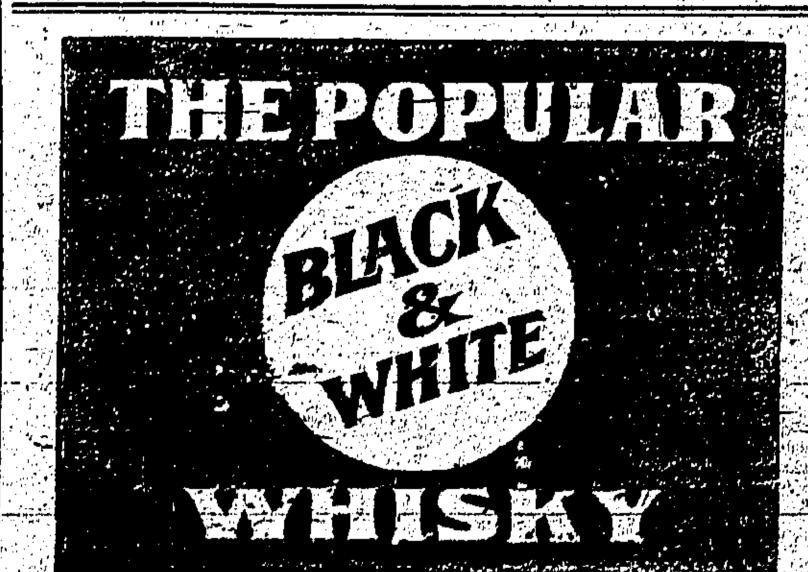
This Peking Government intends to follow the advice of the local gentry in reference to the Macao delimitation and to maintain a firm attitude.

TO PRODUCE BANK Notes.

(Wak I'm Yat Po's Servise.) Paking, April 16.

Chiu Kan Tao, one of the officials whe is accompanying His Excellency Tang Shoo Yi on his present mission to America and E rope, has sent home a machine used for the purpose of printing banknotes. The Board of Finance proposes to make use of the machine

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SPORTING. League Cricket.

CIVIL SERVICE C.C. AVERAGES. The League averages in connection with the Civil Service cricket club for the season

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Thwn Tennis.

with the Hongkong Cricket Club's lawn tennis tournament have now reached an frankly that he had lost his all, gambling interesting stage. All the preliminary at Macao. 'It is up-to you, consul?' he rounds have been played off and the added. Women whose husbands have left semi-finals entered upon. It is hoped to dispose of the finals in the early part of disappointed in their remittances, people tenor, it seems, has been discovered, and the coming week, so that arrangements who have been robbed, navy tars left by there is some talk of a tour in the United the L. R. C. and the prize-giving may take and neglected to perfect details for their hewspaper : place on Saturday next, April 24th-

In the semi-final of the Singles Handicap, and 12 games to 4. The opening game was secured by Dr Grone, and when four had been played the men were level. Then, however, Carr put on three in succession, making the score 5/3. The next went to Dr Grone, but Carr obtained the following game and thus won by 6/4. the next set Carr did not allow his opponont to register a game. In the same competition) the postponed game between H R. Makin" (scr.) and T. E. Pearce (owes 3/6) was played off. Makin securing the verdict by 6/1, 6/3. In the third round of the Doubles Handicap, "B" Class, A. B. Sutherland and C. E. Shields (owe 5,6) overcame E. G.

Barrott and Dr Evan Jones (owe 1/6) by two sets to love and 12 games to 3, the sets reading 6/1, 8/2.

WARD COMEDY COMPANY

"The Fenoing Master." were given a complete change of diet last continues, "and the correspondence files Knights were Bold," to contend with as a night, when "The Fencing Master" was throb with heart beats. Now and then we counter attraction under practically the reproduced. This play in three acts is a bury an American in Happy Valley, which same roof. drama, and is quite the heaviest and most the racocourse Kipling describes. The serious of the pieces contained in the climate is severely hot for five or six methods comes from America. The wife talented Company's repertoire. In con- months. If one dies, in the morning his was negotiating with the husband for a ventional to a nicety; impossible situations Life is rapid in the Far East; hard work, he said, impressively, "I'd like to have are created in order to be ingeniously drinking. Suicide gets its share and The wife looked her doubts as to whether surmounted; and, to end all, right is violence of one sort and another; sometimes, this was quite the right tone for an victorious over wrong. Still, when all this the man simply disappears. He may or affectionate man to take. "Yes, I'd be is said, it has to be allowed that "The may not have been done to death by the glad," he said, with conviction. Fencing Master" gets a firm held on the "Thors are a dozen American women up a note for twenty thousand dollars next is largely a one-man show and those along well enough. The Chinese are not Josiah," said she; "very well. If you who saw it performed were given the lunkind. Once in a while the woman has think the man who holds your note can who saw it performed were given the force of character and makes the best of make things any hotter for you than I the title role. His work was of a very year. Her husband was deported after high order, impressive in the heavier parts many years' residence in America. The and perfect in the details which must be girl knew him in the Mission and, woman Sir Henry Brackenbury, in the course of service, standing on a silver tray, the whole leave at daybreak to-morrow, which Mr W. B. Benttie and Mr Arthur Eldred. amell-pox. The last-named was, in his association with . The day's routine of a consulate is as were filled with uniform success.

TOU need a good nerve tonic, Take Steams Wine of Cod Liver Oil. " 34

be given.

To-night "The Talk of the Town" will

A CONSUL'S BUSY DAY.

By Dr Amos P. Wilder.

"Hongkong is not in China except

a geographical convenience," Dr Amos. Wilder says in a most interesting article entitled "A Consul's Busy Day," which appears in the World To-day. "It is a British colony," he continues, "and order, fiction of a protective extension of Ameri- Court of Inquiry held at Shanghal. can domain as in China, known as extra-territoriality. If an American breaks the laws here his consul can do nothing weather was perfect, though a tritle warm except see that he gets fair play. Not long ago one of the many of our youth undone by life in the Far East murdered attendance was larger than was expected.

The hard working Secretary and his able to make the largest of Hongkong's The hard working Secretary and his able. hotels. His consul conferred with him as to defence, saw that better than prison fare was set before him, and when the hangman had done his work, wrote the her boy's penitonce and sent her a photograph of his grave.

from the peak, 1,400 feet above the harbor. and see from 50 to 70 steamers and war i eraft from all parts of the world. "

"A daily average of 22 ocean craft enters this port. Everyone knows that the Amparts. Last year there was one sailing vessel"entered under our flag, and though and Seattle are the largest in the Facific. all other points. If the arriving ship be have been billed. of American registry, her purser declearance are effected.

"An American seaman who is without begins on Monday, I understand there

wo who must care for him, even send him ship to try is in connection with the Honghome, at government expense : and it costs | kong and Shanghai Bank, who are fact has arisen the occasional impression | years ago with a large amount of money. that consuls must take card of all Ame- If it had not been for this case, which

seen, better days, others apparently who | the stocks, the infliction of the cat, and the The several competitions in connection have even associated with an unlovely heavier penalties imposed at the Magistracy calendar-come in and tell their tale of are also making their influence felt and woe. One young man from Manila stated | opium cases now occupy the greater part of them. American women who regret having married Chinese; travellers who have been their ships, all sorts, including young men | States next year. The following extract | who have come from Manila 'for the trip,'

"A" Class, C. A. Carr (owes 30/4) met ates and the wayward. Occasionally a next year, but may need a jumy to pray American community in Hongkong, and a and defeated Dr Grone (owes 5/6) after an ship engages a man in some capacity. Six loose the maxuma. Mon Fow, honourable few friends here who wished to join with ship engages a man in some capacity. Sir interesting contest by two sets to love Robert Hart's imperial maritime customs heathen gentleman, slinger of Eiffel Tower us to-day, a very pleasing duty has devolved service and naval vessels enlist a few; notes, from Canton (not O.) is said to have upon me and I regret my inability to do more some of the anemployed stow-away; there Caruso, honourable Christian American is a benevolent society here, and there is gentleman from Italy, beaten eight furnlways the 'house of detention,' a longs and several rods in race war for euphemism for the jail. Sometimes when vocal sounds. He is soming to America the consul feels that he has done about his soonly for demonstration of superiority of share of burden-bearing for the time and is Eastern civilisation, over Western barobliged to tell the next applicant that he can barimism. not possibly pay his passage eight thousand I suppose this paragraph is considered all of us; and I believe the example thus miles to the land of the free, the consul ed to be very funny. Personally, I asks himself: What will the poor fellow am rather in doubt as to the sanity of the among many of us to try and command by do? What possible refuge can be find in writer, for the meaning of some of the this slien land where the 'Chinese do all | weird words he uses is entirely beyond me. the work?'s And the consul lies awake mouning at his ineffectiveness. The next morning, however, the poor unfortunate is Philharmonic Society of Hongkong give discovered sunning himself on Blake Pier, their second concert next Friday. They smoking a cigarette and, exchanging have pitched upon St. George's Day, but pleasantries with other soldiers of fortune, I don't suppose their programme will all of" whom have evidently refreshed contain any item associated with the name themselves with peaceful slumber. All or fame of England's patron saint. Englishwho have to do with charity learn the con- men in Hongkong are not a quarter so soling fact that among dependents - patriotic in the observance of St. George's

a helpful brotherhood, a bond of steel. "Consuls are called upon to trace way- hope the Philharmonic will have a good Patrons of the Ward Comedy Company ward ones of both sexes," Mr Wilder house, though they will have "When strange, beautiful resting-place overlooks body is interred the same day. holiday that would cost something, "Jane,

audience, and with its deep under-current here with Chinese husbands. Some of them I week, and I can't apare a centa" The wif of human interest it compels attention. It I never had capacity for suffering and get | looked him up and down. "Very well opportunity of witnessing Mr Hugh it, but there are some sad stories. One can - very well Josinh." She went for her Ward secure a distinct triumph "in such "American wife has been here for a holiday. -well observed by the successful actor. His like, when it was decided he must go, the reminiscences which he is giving in well observed by the successful actor. His like, when it was decided he must go, the reminiscences which he is giving in big rose bowl mounted on blackwood. (Laughter). Business men do not want work was to translate the character of an she insisted on marrying him. Her Blackwood's Magazine. Sir Henry suggests big rose bowl mounted on blackwood. (Laughter). Business men do not want for a landed that only there are not a landed that only the not exiled Italian nobleman who in poverty courage was good when they landed, I that only three sermons ever left a lasting had returned to the United States dis but they are living where the native impression on him. One was by Bishop lived only for his adopted son, whose kind of people. She has a baby now and Colenso. The third was a sermon by a me. 'As a rule I have no difficulty in Words are poor things at such a Pneumatic Tools and Air Compressors triumph as anartist he was privileged to sec. each time I see her, her smile is sadder. High Church, but not a celibate, clergyman A fine study, clearly indicating Mr Ward's The life must kill her in time. She prefers at Brighton, who, preaching on St. Paul's capabilities in drama na in lighter work. to stay rather than to return home without Day, described St. Paul's trials, the scourg-Mr Wernham S. Ryott conscientiously por her husband. They could go to Canada if lags, buffetings, shipwreck, &c., and then people. I appreciate the kind express thing/come to an end. To the best of my trayed the part of Carlo Rossi, the old mas- they had the \$500 entrance fee, but with a said (his wife sitting just below him), "but tor and opted son ; while further successes handful of pupils at \$2.50 per month they'll St. Paul never had the greatest trial to were achieved by Mr. Reginald Wykeham, never get it. She is now recovering from which man can he subject: he never was

Miss Rose Musgrove, responsible for a varied as that of a newspaper office. There | Hongkong will miss Dr Wilder. great deal of amusement, the constant are applications for passports to be filled eloquence, bonhomic and power of gettin lover's quarrels and reconciliations being out for missionaries about to disappear through work have established for him, eleverly characterised." Special mention is in the interior; and calls to be made on a firm place in the Colony's, affection. due to Miss Grace Palotta, who undertook the latest war vessel to arrive; destitute | don't think there is any truth in the with grace and charm the part of Lillian Filipinos to be assured that they are not rumour that if he declines to go to London Montgomery, the benefactor and lover of American citizens in the sense that their las Ambassador to the Court of St. James, Carlo Rossi. She was the picture of grace; passage to Manila is provided; interviews President Taff will try to induce him to fulness and her acting was always natural with the Colonial Secretary; a post office accept the job of Governor-General of the and without affectation. In the character to be kept; persion papers to be forward- Philippines. Anyway he has my very of Mrs Dexter Brown, an old dowsger ed : notarial service in connection with legal best wishes for a long and prosperous life. accustomed to look at everything, even papers for home use; trade reports to be and if he returns to Hongkong so much love-making, from a commercial point of written; inquiries by every mail to be better. view. Miss Celia Chiloni incressed her answered on many topics; the State Dereputation as a clever artiste. Other parts | partment to be advised by cable on imextraditions effected, ote. Perhaps the TTS not isir, either to yourself or others, spread all over the place. I could not keer since I first tried Chamberlain's best known Americans here are the "Stand. I to wait for a heedsehe to wear itself have done that but for Mr Woller keeping Colic, Cholers and Diarrhous Remedy, a ard Oil families whose culture and hos out. You are not only auffering yourself, things going in the office. I feel, fellow supply of it has always been in my house pitality do much to make endurable cossibly making it unpleasant for others. Americans, with whom I have been on and is always in demand during the clekly

land and a trying climate."

RAMBLING NOTES.

mine in the harbour at the beginning of the weeks I refer to the s.s. Kutsang, which arrived from Shanghai looking spick

The V.R.C. sports held on Saturday afternoon were a great success. for competitors; the sport was good, but might have been better had Andrews been pushed slong in his two races, and the committee deserve congratulations on the success of the 1909 gathering.

Equally pleasant was the Lusitane fixture on Easter Monday, when the sport shown water. According to Dr Wilder launchparties are one of the delights of Hongkong, and he is not very far out in his belief.

The Hugh Ward Company, which at Royal, came here from Shanghai with crican flag is not much in evidence in these splendid testimonials as entertainers, and said about them. .. For, the past week sents at the theatre have been at a premium, the American liners from San Francisco and those who were not fortunate enough to have booked early have been left behind. there are less than a dozen American However, another opportunity will be given ateamships that come to Hongkong from next week, for I see that several new pieces

posits, at the consulate a tin trunk | The sentences passed by the Chief charitable. Fortunate indeed is the in which are her 'papers.' This deposit Justice, Sir Francis Piggott, in the is in the nature of a security; the papers case of men charged with the crime country which possesses a servant of his are not returned until legal discharge of of committing robbery with violabilities. It need never fear that, in his seamen, payment for official services and ence, who appeared before him at the hands, its interests will suffer either politic the securing of a bill of health and proper March criminal sessions, has certainly borne cally or commercially," excellent fruit, for at the assize, which

· mare only | is not a single case of this description of \$100 for a steerage passage. From this prosecuting the shroff who absconded some ricans. It is an expensive delusion-for dates back to 1905, Hongkong would have had a clean sheet-"a maiden criminal "All kinds of people-some who have sessions, just think of it! The revival of the attention of the Magistrates:

> According to an American journal the musical profession is now threatened with the "yellow peril." A great Chinese shows how, the matter is viewed by one

" A Chink high note grabber named Mon ·· One-of the distinctive features of the | Fow has Caruso skint when it comes to a Yesterday a few events were played off. Hongkong consulate is the tax on time, showdown on the shout proposition. He sympathy and purse made by the unfortun- will; stack up against the American game public speakers said; On behalf of the loose the mazuma. Mon Fow, honourable few friends here who wished to join with The Yellow God, by H. Rider Hag and.

But talking of music, I see that the especially among worthless dependents—is Day as are the English folk of Shangha and the former treaty ports of Japan.

> This pleasant tale of matrimonial the fact is. Lean't do it. I have to take

DEPARTURE OF DR WILDER

I was glad to see an old acquaintance of Presentation from the American Community.

Dr. Amos P. Wilder, Consul-General for and span in her new war paint, and none the United States of North America, left the worse for the mishap which happened Hongkong this morning by the Wakasa to her in the Haitan Straits, She left on Maru on the first stage of his journey to her usual run to Calcutts on Wednesday, the Homeland, where he is proceeding on establishment and effective Government are The Captain, Officers and Engineers are to well-carned furlough. It is not indulging in provided, rendering unnecessary the legal be congratulated on the finding of the exaggeration to say that no American has ever secured a warmer place in the affections and esteem of the residents of Hongkong than has Dr. Wilder. His three years' service here have fully demonstrated the sterling worth of his character and had he so chosen he would have had such a "send-off" to-day as fells to the lot of few men departing from these shores. But he preferred to slip away quietly, in the gray dawn of an [April day, before the Colony was awaka!: which proceeding is entirely in harmong with the innate modesty of was of the excellent order which this Club | the man. " We can but hope that Fate heartbroken mother in the homeland of always provides. There was a considerable will ordain that he returns to his pest attendance, but strolling home later in in the autumn reinvigorated after a sojourn among his "ain folk," though maph of his grave.

a very large proportion of the residents of sojourn among his "am folk," though the Hongkong is the busicst seaport in the Colony had taken advantage of the we are fully conscious that positions of world. One can at any time look down glorious weather to spend the day on the greater distinction are within his grasp should be care to move up higher in his country's service at the bidding of his lifelong friend, President Taft. All classes, of this community can bear testimony to present occupy the boards of the Theatre Mr Wilder's ability and charm of manner, but Mr Lau Chu Pak, speaking at the they are certainly deserving of all that was | Ohinese Club the other evening, has dessribed them so concisely and so well that we beg leave, in taking farewell,-to-adopt thum: "As a scholar, he is learned and accomplished; as an official, he is wellinformed, just and dignified; as a debater. he is elequent and resourceful; and as a private individual, he is kind, honest and

Naturally the American community did ____ oneme, may look to his consul, for hearing. The only matter for his Lord not let slip the opportunity of testifying to General and on Friday afternoon a pleasant little "surprise party" paid him a visit at the consulate. It comprised Dr. J. W. Noble, Mr Mrs. and Miss W. D. Kraft, Mr and Mrs. W. B. Wälker, Vice-Consul Stuart J. Fuller, Messrs. F. E. McHugh. Geo. E. Hays, Major and Mrs. Read, Mrs. Bolles, Mrs. Noyes, Mrs. Goodman, Mr G. D. Lack, Mr and Mrs S. Silverstone, Mr and Mrs R. D. Harvey, Mr and Mrs W. A. Dowley, Mr Van Buren, Mr and Mrs A. B. Moulder, Mr Pond, Mr Lefferts Knox, Mr Gorham, Mr M. J. Morse, Mr M. O. Clarke, M. L. T. Ruprecht, Mr. Mrs and Miss M. L. Thompson, Mr Moreno, Mr and Mrs F. J. Halton, Mr J. O. Shepherd, Mr J. C. Hamilton, Mr and Mrs C. Osborne, Mr and Misses Hoffman, Mr and Mrs A. Hocking, Messrs Lau Chu Pak, Ho Fuk, Ho Kom Tong, and Wong

Mr W. B. Walker became the spokes-

man of the party and after a playful allusion to Dr Wilder's and his own reputation as than express in a very limited manner the regard and admiration we feel towards you I know I am voicing the sentiments of all when I say your kind and gentlemanly manner, sympathetic advice, both socially and in business, noble and straightforward life, has been admired and appreciated by sot by you has engendered an ambition such means a higher respect from those foreigners with whom we come in daily contact, for Americans and American business generally. In appointing Conaule to foreign ports, our forefathers must have anticipated their children would need someone to assist and guide them in their struggles, especially in adversity, but seldom if ever, do we believe a wiser selection was made and a more fortunate one for our country's interests, then when we had the good fortune to have you sent out to us. The manner in which you have fulfilled "your trust has been amply demonstrated by the many banquets tendered to you by various nationalities here and the flattering commendations uttered by their representative men, in which we, your friends, heartily agree. While it is possible you are leaving us for only a brief vacation which we sincerely regret -- but which you undoubtedly deserve, we realise it means happiness to you and your loved ones at and I want to be so considered by you, home, and we wish you the most enjoyable not only during these shifting years spent time. Should you return to Hongkong, in Hongkong, but always. There are but rest assured you will receive our heartiest few of us in the East, but our relations are welcome, as well as our assistance and co- close, and we must remain friends, operation in whatever you undertake; but wherever we are, to the end of our lives, we happily fear the United States' Go- as men and women who look to each other vernment has already selected you for and are known to each other. I shall take promotion to a higher position, and if so, home these beautiful things which have few will feel more gratified than your Hong-Icome as such a surprise, -but, we all kong friends. In closing, we request that know the weakness of Mr W. B. Walker and to remind your friends at home that husband, Mrs Walker-(loughter).

you will accept from us these few pieces in anything affecting the heart. admiration for you. (Applause). service, standing on a silver tray, the whole leave at daybreak to-merrow, which is FAIRBANKS, MORSE & CO. being in the familiar dragon design; and a a very fine time to leave. Hongkong. moved, said :- Mr. Walker, Indies and gen- boat, that never goes. Seeing people tlemen, this is a surprise you have given off in Hongkong is a trying business. giving vent to my thoughts, but this after time as this. Three years is a long time to noon my speech must be very brief. I am be away from one's home, and much of deeply grateful for this gift from my own that time away from one's family, but all sions from the Chinese, and from our knowledge I shall be back with you again. English fellow citizens, but, you know. But there has been so much silver plate there are none like one's own folk. For i distributed around, and so much said about some reason the world-makes a lot of an imy-departure, that I don't know whather official. A man may go on working up a I can come back to Kongkong if I want to His big business in Hongkong for years, and I feel like the man who prayed for rain do good things, but nobody notices him, and got a cyclone. (Laughter). I thank you But when some nine a penny person is made again for your beautiful gifts, (Applause). an official, they commence making a lot of I This concluded a pleasantly informal him. (Laughter). Ithink that accounts for all | function. the kindness extended to me. (Laughter). In a way I feel under false pretences. I doing it in what seemed the best possible

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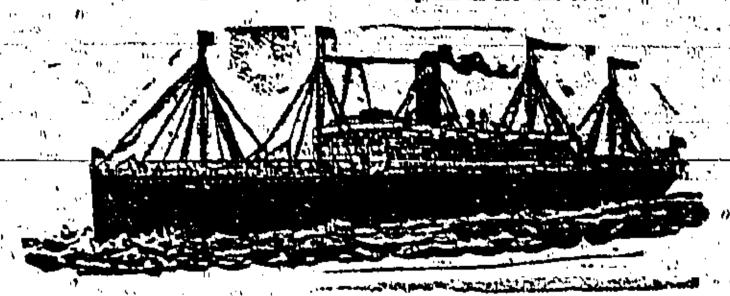
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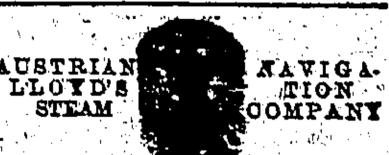
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· Superintendent. Hongkong, April 15, 1909.

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Hongkong, April 15, 1909.

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China to the North of the Yangtzo valley, and the area of high pressure now occupies Moderate to light E. and S.E. winds may be expected in the Formess Channel

and the N. part of the China Sea. Hongkong minfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.03 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending as moon

.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood: T. to S.E. winds, moderate to light; fair. 2. Formosa Channel: Same as No. 1. 3. - South count of China between Hong-Reng and Lamocks: Same as No. 1. Rung and Hainan : Same as No. 1.

> CHURCH SERVICES. SUNDAY, APRIL 18th, 1969.

St. John's Cathedral.

IST, SUNDAY AFTER LASTER. 18 20 11 Mely. Committeens, (7:30 a.m.) Matine (11 a.m.) (Full Cheit); Responses, Fostival; Venite, Tucker Psalms, of the 18th morning # Benedicite, Smart in F ; Jubilate, "Goodson ; Anthem, "I know that my Redeemer " "Since my man " Han-

Holy Communion (12 neon). Eyrle, Baker in F . Hymns, 127 and 120 M.R. Paslm 90. Verses 1, 2, 9, 10, 17 in unison; Parlin 91, Verses 7. 14 in muison ; Paulm 22, Vorses 1, 2, 9. 10 (Birrby).

Evensony (5.45 p.m.) Responses, Festival : Psalms, of the 18th evening (+I)p Magn ficat, Goes (7th eyen.); Nunc Dimuris. Havergal (7th even.); Hymns, 129, 612 and 499.

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p.m.—Worship. Hymns 10, 509. 172

363, Paulm 1:8 (Bedford). Friday sop m. - Christian Endeavour Sociery. Subject- Elijah.

53. Peter's Church, Queen's Road,

ler SUNDAY AFTER BASTIR. Morning Prayer 11 a.m. Venire, Tucker; Paalma, Baruby etc. To Doum, Russell ; Hymns, 135, 199, 593, 122; Kycie. Holy Communion 12.15.

Evening Prayer 6.30. -Gioria : Magnificat, Crotch ; Nunc Dimittis, Cavage,; Hymns, 186, 196,

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Bervices on Sundays :-Holy Communion at noon on 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays of the month. at 8 am, on 2nd and 4th Sundaye.

Morning Prayer:—acil a.m. Evening Prayer: -at 6 p.m.

Ohlldren's Service :-- at 3 p.m on 3rd Sun-. day of the month. Bunday School :- at 3 p.m. on other Sun days of the month.

Peak Church. Holy Communion :- 8 a.m.

German Chapel (Deutsche Kapelle) High Str. 1. German Service at II a.m. Pastor Johannos Müller.

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Friday, the 30th April. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Monteagle left Vanconver on Thursday, the 8th April,

p.m. on Friday, the 16th April.

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pected here on the 18th April. The P. & A. S. Co. a s.s. Frablit left Moji | Boyle (2), Mr. Backhausen, Miss Coleman

The Java-China Japan Lijn str. Tjūcijay left Kuchinotzu via Amoy for this port on the 12th April, and may be expected here on or about the 19th The G. N. s.s. Minnesofa arrived at Yo kohamason Suaday April 4;

kong via Japan ports" and Manila. The s.s. Aldendesin left Sydney on 19th April via Queensland Ports, Port Darwin, Timor, and Manila. The Indo-China S. N. Co. s.s. Kumsun from Calcutta and the Straits, left

Latest Advices. The N. Y. E. s. s. Aki More (American Line) left Shanghai for this port on the 15th April, and is expected here on the 18th April. CITANDING in its own grounds with The N. Y. K. s. s. Hirano Maru (Eutopean Tennis and Croquet Lawns, Large Airy and Well Furnished Rooms, Every

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Salazie, Senegambia, Poona, Westphilis, Triumph, for Hahow. April 16, Kleist, Nippon, Dordanus, Haimun, for Swatow. Bingo Marie, Budson, Polynesien, Silviu,

April 18, Montyamerychire, Polyphorens, Princers Alice, Lyndhurst, Tournne,

The Imp, German Mail s.s. Derflinger carrying the German Mails with dates | Cheysang, for Canton. from Berlin of the 24th March, left Colombo on Sunday, the 11th April, a.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 22nd April. The Imp. German Maily e.s. Manila left Sydney on Sunday, the 8th April, and may be expected here on or about

The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of Japan Leyshaw, airs H. Harker,"Mr A. C. Lofts,

port on the worning of 12th April, and may be expected here on or about the

on the 15th April, and may be exon Thursday, April 15th, between 6 and Miss E. Crawford. p.m. and 8 p.m., and may therefore

left Yokobama on the 7th April for Hongkong, via Kobe, Nagasaki, Shanghai and Manila, and may be expected here on or shout 24th April. 70 The N. Y. K. s.s. Mayori Maru (Bombay Line) left Bombay for this port via Singapore on the 8th April, and is expected here on the 27th April. The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s s.s. Namsang are transmissible by the Siberian route from Calcutta and the Straits, left Singapore for this port on the 8th

The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Taywan left Sydney on April 3rd, and is due here on April The Bank Line Ld.'s s.s. Sureric left the Sound on the 10th April for Houg-

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THORESIN & Co. Huichow, British str., from Canton. Kjeld, Norwegian str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES.

April 17. Devanha, for Singapore and London. Rubi, for Manile. Locksun, for Bangkok. Wakasa Maru, for Koba. Silesia, for Shanghai. Chowles for Hoihow. Bandai Maru, for Takao. Signal, for Newchwang. Repringles, for Shanghai.

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Per Devanha, for Lundon, &c., Mrs G p.m. for Hengkong via the usual ports L. Patterson, Mrs G. Dans, Mr Corneck and family, Mr Shankey, Mr F. H. Col-Thursday, the 15th April, and left | Mrs Bate, Messrs Powell, T. R. Yangco, again at 3 p.m. on the same day for R. Yangco, 2 Misses Yangco. Miss J. E. Kobe, where she is due to arrive at 7 | Blandell, Mr Poole, Mr H. G. F. Mad-I docks, Miss Dod ell, Mr and Mrs E. W. Strong, Mr E. Hopper, Mr and Mrs Goldie, Ray, and Mrs F. H. Sprent and family,

Per Wakasa Maru, for Japan, Dr Amos P. Wilder, Dr F. Wright, Miss L. Cappage, Mrs W. Summers, Mrs O. G. Freeman, Mis and Miss Sealy, Mr.C. A. Don-Per Rubillior Manile, Mr R. Kruetze be expected here on the morning of Mr and Mrs C. Bradshaw, and Dr B

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